## Solvability by radicals

We admit the following theorem :
Theorem. Let $P \in \mathbb{Z}[X]$ a monic separable polynomial. Let $p$ be a prime number and $\bar{P} \in \mathbb{F}_{p}[X]$ the reduction of $P$ over $\mathbb{F}_{p}$. Suppose that $\bar{P}$ is separable, then the Galois group of $P$ over $\mathbb{Q}$ contains a subgroup which is isomorphic to the Galois group of $\bar{P}$ over $\mathbb{F}_{p}$.

We also admit that the symmetric group $\mathfrak{S}_{5}$ can be generated by a transposition and a 5 -cycle.

Problem 1. Let $n \geq 1$.
(1) Recall the definition of the alternating group $\mathfrak{A}_{n}$ of $\mathfrak{S}_{n}$. We recall that it is generated by the 3 -cycles in $\mathfrak{S}_{n}$.
(2) Suppose from now on that $n \geq 5$. Let $\gamma=(a, b, c)$ be a 3 -cycle in $\mathfrak{S}_{n}$. Let $d \neq e \in\{1, \ldots, n\}-\{a, b, c\}$ and $\sigma=(d, e)(b, c)$. Compute $\sigma \gamma \sigma^{-1}$.
(3) Show that $D\left(\mathfrak{A}_{n}\right)=\mathfrak{A}_{n}$ and that $\mathfrak{S}_{n}$ is not solvable.

Problem 2. Let $P=X^{5}-5 X^{2}+1$ with Galois group $G$ over $\mathbb{Q}$.
(1) Show that $G$ injects in $\mathfrak{S}_{5}$.
(2) Show that $P$ has no root in $\mathbb{F}_{2}$ and $\mathbb{F}_{4}$, and that it is irreducible over $\mathbb{F}_{2}$.
(3) Show that $P$ is irreducible over $\mathbb{Q}$ and deduce that 5 divides $|G|$.
(4) What is the Galois group of the reduction of $P$ over $\mathbb{F}_{2}$ ? Deduce that $G$ contains a 5 cycle.
(5) How many real roots does $P$ have? Show that the complex conjugation is an element in $G$.
(6) Deduce from the two previous questions that $G \simeq \mathfrak{S}_{5}$ and that the equation $P(x)=0$ is not solvable by radicals.

